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Mr Leon Ruffin
651 Fayette St.
Portsmouth Va.

Dear Leon:

I just received your letter and was very glad to hear from you. I had written to your old address, but the letter was returned.

I am writing you because I am thinking of making a trade, and I do not want to do it unless I am sure you will play for me after I do. If I give up a man for you and then you dont report I will be left short a man.

Answer me right away and let me know if you will play with The Eagles, if I can make a trade with The Crawfords for you.

I will pay you the salary you asked for.

Hope you are well.

Very Truly Yours